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Microsoft has used its effective monopoly of the computer operating system to establish and conduct anti-competitive practices in other parts of the software industry. This has been shown to be illegal use of its monopoly power. The remedies should effectively prevent such behavior in the future, and should prevent Microsoft from profiting from its illegal behavior.

The remedies contained in the proposed settlement do not do any of these things, and will allow Microsoft to continue and expand its anti-competitive practices, to the detriment of competitors and the public. The proposed settlement should not be approved.

Much stronger remedies are required.

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